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| Claims | | | | Present | Half Rate | Addit. Fee | OR | Full Rate | Addit. Fee |
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Sir:

The following reply is made in response to the Office Action mailed December 2, 2002 for the above-identified patent application. A Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) is being submitted herewith. Reexamination and reconsideration of said application in light of the following Remarks is respectfully requested.

REMARKS

These Remarks are submitted under 35 U.S.C. § 132 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in response to the Office Action mailed December 2, 2002. Applicant respectfully submits that Claims 1-17 are pending.

Summary of the Examiner's Action and Applicant's Response

The Examiner has withdrawn Claim 17 from consideration as being directed to a non-elected invention. The Examiner has rejected Claims 1, 15, and 16 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b). Claims 2-14 were rejected as being obvious under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a). Applicant respectfully traverses the withdrawal and rejections.

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